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TO MERIT PUBLIC PATRONAGE.
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A SPECIALTY.
sept30-tf

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CLAPP & PARKER,
PRACTICAL
Watchmakers, Jewelers
AND OPTICIANS,
POSTOFFICE, WINTERS, YOLO CO., CAL.
WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY
CAREFULLY AND PROMPTLY REPAIRED.
SPECTACLES
TO SUIT ALL EYES.
ALL Watches or Clocks for repairs, or orders for Goods, left with the Express or Station Agents or Conductors of Trains, will receive prompt attention and satisfaction guaranteed.
ALL GRADES OF
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PROMPTLY SUPPLIED.
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GOOD BOARDING AND COMFORTABLE ROOMS
At REASONABLE PRICES by the DAY or WEEK. The TABLE will be supplied with the best the market affords.
No Chinese Cooks Employed.
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Main Street.
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Nos. 41, 43, 45, 47, 49 and 51 K Street,
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THIS Hotel is entirely new, having just been completed with all the modern improvements. 250 NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS.
MEALS, 25 Cents.
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Free Coach to the Hotel. Exchange Office, Barber Shop, Bath Rooms and Laundry in the House. Shower Baths FREE to Guests.
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Saloons, Wine and Billiard PARLORS,
MAIN ST., BET. RAILROAD AND FIRST.
CHARLIE WELCH, Proprietor.
Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
A FINE BILLIARD TABLE HAS JUST BEEN SET UP.
jy15-tf

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Main Street, near First,
ELY & McGRATH, - - Proprietors,
Where can be found a choice supply of
WINES, LIQUORS, LAGER BEER,
And CIGARS of the favorite brands.
Call and see us, and being refreshed, enabled to go on your way rejoicing. jy15-tf

WINE AND BILLIARD PARLORS,
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T. B. LYON, - - PROPRIETOR.
THE BEST OF
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS
On hand; also, a First-class
BILLIARD TABLE.
aug12-tf

EL DORADO BILLIARD ROOM,
MAIN STREET, WINTERS.
Fresh California and Eastern
OYSTERS,
IN ALL STYLES.
THE BEST WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS constantly on hand.
Jan29-tf HARRY BARR, Prop'r.

EMPIRE SALOON,
Corner Main and Second Streets,
WOODLAND,
G. W. BENTLEY, - - Proprietor.
THE BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS always on hand.
☞ Come and see me. sept8-tf

Stationery and News Depot,
POST OFFICE BUILDING,
WINTERS.
E. FERGUSON
Has a Large Select Stock of
STATIONERY,
BLANK BOOKS,
SCHOOL BOOKS,
MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,
SHEET MUSIC, Etc.
Also all the Latest Newspapers.
FINEST CIGARS and TOBACCO
ALWAYS ON HAND,
All of which I propose to sell CHEAP FOR CASH.
apl3-tf

BROWN'S
Livery and Feed Stable,
First and Baker Sts.
HORSES AND CARRIAGES
ON HAND
DAY AND NIGHT.
Horses Boarded by Day or Month
AT REASONABLE RATES.
nov6-tf R. BROWN, Prop'r.

Pioneer Drug Store,
MAIN STREET, WINTERS.
THOMAS KEEFE,
HAVING PURCHASED THE DRUG STORE of I. M. WHITNEY, and re-stocked it with
Fresh Drugs and Medicines,
Wishes to notify the Citizens of Winters and vicinity that he is now prepared to fill
PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS
DAY OR NIGHT WITH GREAT CARE.
Also on hand a general assortment of
PATENT MEDICINES,
FANCY TOILET ARTICLES,
COLOGNES, ETC., ETC.
PURE WINES and LIQUORS
FOR MEDICAL USE.
FINE HAVANA CIGARS
ALWAYS ON HAND.
—ALSO—
TEETH EXTRACTED
WITH CARE AND SKILL.
n4-tf

WINTERS
Livery and Feed Stable,
Cor. First and Abby Sts.,
WINTERS.
LIVERY STOCK
FURNISHED
On Shortest Notice.
HORSES BOARDED
AT REASONABLE RATES.
THE patronage of friends and acquaintances from the country is especially solicited.
jy22 tf JOHN A. BROWN, Proprietor.

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DALE & CO.,
PIONEER MUSIC STORE,
J Street, near Seventh,
SACRAMENTO.
TOYS AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
New Music received by every steamer.
INSTRUMENTS Tuned and Repaired. Children's Carriages, Wagons, Baskets, Zephyr Wools and Embroideries. Fancy Goods in great variety.
nov11-tf

JOHN HATCH. W. W. CARY.
HATCH & CARY,
PRACTICAL WATCHMAKERS,
AND DEALERS IN
CLOCKS, WATCHES, GUNS, PISTOLS, JEWELRY, ETC.
SPECTACLES TO SUIT ALL AGES.
THE LARGEST STOCK OF
GUNS AND PISTOLS
In the City and sold at Lowest Prices. Also Agents for the
CELEBRATED DIAMOND SPECTACLES.
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oct21-tf

S. ROTH,
No. 169 J Street, bet. Sixth and Seventh,
SACRAMENTO,
DEALER AND MANUFACTURER OF
Harness, Saddles, Etc.
Large and extensive assortment always on hand, Wholesale and Retail.
AT PRICES TO SUIT.
☞ All orders received promptly attended to. ☜
A NEW STYLE OF
SINGLE HARNESS,
OF LATE IMPROVEMENT, FOR SALE.
oct21-tf

R. H. PETTIT,
No. 55 K Street, between Second and Third,
SACRAMENTO,
Cigar Manufacturer,
AND DEALER IN
HAVANA CIGARS, SMOKING AND CHEWING TOBACCO.
GILT-EDGE FINE-CUT by the pound. All orders from the country will receive prompt attention. No Chinese employed. d11-tf

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IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
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OF ALL KINDS,
No. 204 J Street, bet. Seventh and Eighth,
SACRAMENTO.
nov4-tf

VON BREYMAN & BRYANT,
MANUFACTURERS OF THE
PEOPLE'S SPRING BED,
THE BEST AND CHEAPEST IN USE, with an
INVALID ATTACHMENT.
Hotels, Lodgings and Dealers supplied at *REDUCED RATES.*
Also, the only Portable Field Fence in use and Best Farm Gate. Call or address
VON BREYMAN & BRYANT,
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W. D. COMSTOCK,
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Manufacturer of and Dealer in
Furniture and Bedding,
COR. FIFTH AND K STS.,
SACRAMENTO.
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W. B. McCLELLAN,
No. 52 Odd Fellows Temple, Ninth Street, between J and K, Sacramento,
Real Estate Agent.
HOUSES RENTED, RENTS COLLECTED and all kinds of Collecting done promptly and prompt returns. nov4-tf

J. P. FLOBERG,
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,
No. 60 J Street, between Second and Third,
SACRAMENTO.
WATCHES and Chronometers repaired and warranted. Jewelry made and repaired. nov4-tf

Patience.

Beside the toilsome way,
Lonely and dark, by fruits and flowers unblest,
Which my worn feet tread sadly day by day,
Longing in vain for rest,

An angel softly walks
With pale, sweet face, and eyes cast meekly down,
The while from withered leaves and flowerless stalks,
She weaves my fitting crown.

A sweet and patient grace,
A look of firm endurance true and tried,
Of suffering meekly borne, rests on her face—
So pure, so glorified.

And when my fainting heart
Desponds and murmurs at its adverse fate,
Then quietly the angel's bright lips part,
Whispering softly, "Wait!"

"Patience!" she sweetly saith—
"The Father's mercies never come too late;
Gird thee with patient strength and trusting faith,
And firm endurance—wait!"

Angel, behold, I wait,
Wearing the thorny crown throughout all life's hours—
Wait till thy hand shall ope the eternal gate,
And change the thorns to flowers.

Foreign Rambles.

"Have you seen the Crystal Palace?" was asked us so frequently that we grew ashamed to neglect it longer. We started from one of the stations of that unique institution, the Metropolitan (Underground) Railway. We were obliged to wait some minutes for a special train, and had a fine opportunity of observing the systematic haste which characterizes this subterranean wonder. One of the porters guessed—no, Englishmen do not guess, he "expected" that we were Americans, and asked if we "had anything that would beat that." And truly it is a legitimate source of pride to every Londonite. In the first place it takes up no room; contracts no highways, and runs through no building lots. It is entirely out of the way, and the noise and bustle trouble none but those who profit by it. You can reach almost any point in the city by this line and no time-table is needed, for as they run nearly *one thousand trains* per day the intervals are but two or three minutes at most. I asked one man why half the number of trains would not pay the company better. "Oh," said he, "people would not endure the waiting. They think as much of waiting ten minutes as if it were an hour." And the laziest and fattest are infected with the general spirit, and begin to rush as soon as they get underground. They must hurry, indeed, to get in and out of the train, for it stops but a few seconds, still after the necessity is over the scramble continues till the crowd disperses in the streets. The fares are remarkably low, being only a sixpence (3d class) for the entire circuit. This seems small in comparison with the labor and capital expended in the enterprise, but the patronage is so extensive, about one million per week, that the shareholders realize immense profits. No one would doubt this who has watched the traffic for half an hour. Till then he can have but a faint idea of the things I have written.

But now we enter the "Palace Train," and by an imperceptible gradation soon reach the light and in a few minutes more are looking down, with calm complacence, into the chimney pots of various three-story houses that stand alongside the track—for London railways run through the air as well as under the earth.

After about seven miles of such varied experience we reach Sydenham and enter the Crystal Palace. Everybody knows, or knew and has forgotten, that this was built for the World's Fair in 1851. It is made of glass set in an iron framework. It stood in Hyde Park during the Exposition, but was afterwards sold to a company and removed to its present position. Nearly one and a-half million pounds have been expended upon it, till it stands a rich treasury of art, science and wonder. And one shilling introduces you. To be sure the admission price is fluctuating, but a shilling is the usual one which admits to the Palace and Park; while there are shows within shows, which have their own petty prices and minor celebrities. The first person you meet is a boy—and the next is another boy. They have programmes to *sell*. Talk about Yankee sharpness. In America you confer a favor if you accept the order of exercises at an evening's entertainment. But here you must pay two pence for it. Of course you buy one, and a guide book, and then begin to look around you. You look a few moments and decide to remain the rest of your natural life. For why travel farther? Egypt, Greece, Italy, France, Germany and Spain are there; Architectures, Sculpture and Painting—ancient, mediæval, and modern; the arts, sciences and manufactures of the civilized and savage world, present, past and pre-historic, (i. e. past perfect.) We find all along the Nave spaces allotted to representations of architecture and sculpture of different ages and nations—exact copies of existing forms. And although plaster and wood usurp marble and porphyry the illusion is perfect. Here is the so-called Egyptian Court. Let us enter. We pass through an arcade of pillars like those of the Karnak Temple and find ourselves in the midst of statues and paintings. They are wonderful, I suppose, but not beautiful. They look as if the designers were born just about the time the arts were lost. Still they are Egyptian, and we can admire them here as well as on the banks of the Nile. Above the pillars is an English inscription in Egyptian characters. We read it very easily, from the guide-book. It first depicts the names of Victoria and Albert, and then proceeds to declare that "in the 17th year of the reign of her Majesty, the ruler of the waves, the royal daughter Victoria, lady most gracious, the chiefs, architects, sculptors and painters erected the palace and gardens with a thousand columns, a thousand decorations, a thousand statues of chiefs and ladies, a thousand trees, a thousand flowers, a thousand birds and beasts, a thousand fountains and a thousand vases. The architects, sculptors and painters built this palace as a book for the instruction of the men and women of all countries, regions and districts. May it be prosperous."

But if we have so many thousand things to see let us hurry on to the Greek Court.

The main part of this represents the *agora*, or market place; and all around, within and without, are statues, columns and friezes.

The classical student may wander here for hours with ever-increasing delight. Here is an exact model of the frieze of the Parthenon—nearly one-fourth the original size, and the Venus of Milo, Dioue, the fighting Gladiator and Laocoon are but a few of the masterpieces of Grecian Art here shown in perfect copy.

The Roman Court is of necessity crowded with interest. The walls are an imitation of the Coliseum, a model of which as it existed before the decline and fall, stands near the centre. Near by it stands the Pantheon, also complete, and the Forum as it now exists, while around the walls of the crowded vestibule are placed statues "that need but to be mentioned to be praised."

But now the scene changes and we turn from classic elegance to dazzling splendor. We stand in the midst of fountains and fragrance, and gaze upon fretted gold and carved tracery. We are in "one of the courts, two of the halls and one of the living rooms" of the Alhambra—the great Moorish Palace in Spain. The ornaments were cast in moulds taken from the Palace walls and the coloring is an exact imitation in the minutest detail. The result is—!!!

We now hurry—because we must—through the Byzantine Court, containing casts of various styles of architecture closely allied to that which originated in Constantinople, and various recumbent sovereigns. The English Mediæval Court, The Renaissance, Elizabethan Vestibule and Italian Court succeed, until we come to the Pompeian House.

This is the reproduction of a private residence as found in the buried city, and as described so fully by Bulwer in his celebrated novel. We entered, of course; but as I peered into the *thalamus* and *cubicula* and paced the marble floor of the *tablinum* I could not rid myself of the feeling that I was an intruder and must be off before the owner discovered me. Then there was "*cave canum*" on the floor, as though if the inmates had stepped out they had left the house guarded. I have since been in palaces that were once the homes of kings, and thronged with courtly retinues, and now thrown open to the public view; but nowhere have I felt the immediate presence of a mysterious, regal somebody as in the Pompeian House.

There are other courts not representative of the past, but of the bustling, active present. There is the French Court, filled with fancy articles—the China and Glass Court—the Bohemian Glass Court—the Stationery Court.

These and countless other things within the Palace combine to form a spectacle more like our own Centennial than anything I have seen in Europe. For here are bazaars for Tunis, Algiers and Morocco. Horticultural Hall is represented by the Tropical Department, which is kept at 70 deg. F., the whole year round, and is filled with palms, bamboos, oranges, figs, camelias and ferns. Memorial Hall is brought to mind by the picture gallery—which contains various paintings by the old masters and some valuable copies—and the statue already named. Agricultural Hall by raw material, animal, vegetable and mineral, in the Industrial and Technological Gallery—Machinery Hall by the silk looms, sewing-machines, ivory-lathes, glass-blowing, &c., &c., while the Main Building is the Palace itself with its "thousand trees and thousand flowers" and thousand things I have not touched upon.

And outside is the rival of Fairmount Park—not in size, but in beauty—with the two largest fountains in the world throwing jets 350 feet high on special occasions. We climbed one of the water towers—10 flights of 40 steps each—and felt happy.

After seeing what I have mentioned, you can visit, if you like, a circus, a geological island, an aquarium, a skating rink, a wonderful museum of stuffed animals, a carriage repository, in which are two of Napoleon's—but you can't comprehend it all in one day. It's like trying to eat the whole of a Thanksgiving dinner. You can't even taste of all the dishes.—*D. O. S. Lowell, in Portland Transcript.*

A COUNTING-ROOM STYLE.—William Pitt once paid a high compliment to the style of mercantile correspondence. When an important bill was before Parliament, he requested some leading merchants in London to bring him copies of their correspondence with American and West India houses. After listening to the reading of them, he exclaimed, in surprise, "I would not have believed it possible that good letters are so common! Better papers than these cannot be found in the State Department!"

Some of the English merchants are in the habit of boasting that the Duke of Wellington borrowed the style of his famous dispatches from the counting-room. Sir Thomas Munro, before going to India, had a long experience in a mercantile house, and conducted its correspondence. When in India, his reports were noted for brevity and point. Wellington often expressed great admiration for them, and is said to have studied them carefully, making them his model of dispatch-writing. Those who have compared the two, are inclined to credit the tradition.

TOBACCO is said to have destroyed the art of conversation. *Per contra*, it introduced the era of peace. Peace Congresses and international codes were unheard of before the introduction of the "pipe of peace." But tobacco ended also the hilarity of the good old times, the laughing period. No man ever laughs in smoking.

The Emigrant Sioux.

A correspondent of the Toronto *Globe* writes from Fort Walsh, Northwest Territory: Maj. Walsh has just returned from a visit to the hostile Sioux, camped at Wood Mountain, five days' journey, one hundred and ninety miles, from here, and the result of his visit, as we have it, is somewhat interesting. He started from Fort Walsh with a detachment of ten men and himself on the lead road into the camp about three o'clock on the afternoon of the 21st ult., creating considerable astonishment among the savages, who rushed out, arms in hand, as they afterward explained, thinking it was the United States troops whom they had been told were to follow them across the line. No attention was paid to them, the camp was passed, and old White Eagle of the Santees (friendly Indians) sought out. There were about three hundred lodges of mixed Sioux, consisting of Uncapapas, Minnecongous and Ogallallas, the worst Indians under the sun. They had a number of United States Government mules taken in the battle of the Little Horn. Black Moon and Long Dog, both noted characters, were among them. The Major talked pretty plainly to them and laid down the laws, and told them if they remained in the British possessions they must obey the laws. He asked them if they were here only for the winter seeking protection, and when spring comes to return to the other side of the line and make war. They replied that they were tired of war and wanted peace, and they had come here to remain. They asked why he had entered their camp in the manner so new to them. The Major told them the children of the queen were not afraid to go anywhere, as they did not think of danger in their country. They concluded that they had good hearts, and were brave. They seemed to have little or no respect for the Americans. They were glad to see the Major, and promised to behave themselves while here. Although they announced their determination to remain here, there is no probability of their doing so. As soon as spring opens they will again be on the warpath. Old Long Dog is an arrant rascal; the number of white men he has killed in his time could be counted by scores. Black Moon is not far behind him. In fact the entire lot are not to be trusted, they have none of the virtues usually attributed to the Indians about here, many of them are so uncivilized that they have no names. The Major says it took all the other chiefs' exertions to keep the Ogallallas quiet. He further told them, in explaining the laws, that if any of them were violated, the offender would be taken from camp and brought to Fort Walsh and punished. We do not anticipate any trouble from these Indians while in this country, as they seem willing and anxious to keep on friendly terms with the mounted police.

The Safe Way.

The wife of a man living near Topeka, Kansas, reached Detroit on her way home from the East yesterday, finding herself short of funds, having lost $35 at Niagara Falls. She went to a hotel and telegraphed her husband to forward her $30 at once. He isn't the kind of man to rush headlong into any financial enterprise, and he stopped to find out the cost of telegraphing money. When he had ascertained he waited till night and sent a half-rate message saying that he would forward the money by mail. This wasn't entirely satisfactory to a wife paying three dollars per day for board, but she had to wait. In about three days the looked-for letter arrived, and the wife was so mad that she came near swallowing her false teeth. The husband had inclosed the one half portion of three different ten-dollar bills, and explained in his letter:

"If these reach you safely I will forward the other halves upon receipt of a telegram."

The way that little woman dusted over to the telegraph office and sent him bowie-knives and daggers and bullets made the stoical operator wonder if she was some escaped lunatic. Over half the money will be used up for board by the time she gets it, and how she is to reach home on the balance is what puzzles her.—*Detroit Free Press.*

MODELING A FORTUNE.—A model is not quite the sort of a person one would expect to make a fortune. There has just died at Paris one Charles Dubose by name, who had been hiring himself out as a model ever since he was seven years old, which was in 1804; and by dint of great economy, amounting even to miserliness, he has left £8,000. He has left also a will in which he directs that, after all his just debts have been paid, the income arising from his capital shall be spent in helping young painters and young sculptors studying for the great prize at Rome. Brought into frequent intercourse with artists, he learned to see that even those who afterwards became famous had often a most trying time to pass through when entering upon their profession, having often not enough to pay their models.—*Philadelphia Press.*

A FLEA weighs less than a grain of salt, and leaps a yard and a half at a jump; and we are told that "were a man of one hundred and fifty pounds weight possessed of equivalent agility he could spring from the dome of the capitol to China, and go around the world in two jumps." It is a fortunate thing for the steamship companies that man can't go around the world in two jumps; although he is not as agile as the nimble flea, he can jump from the dome of the capitol into the next world—and that is more than a flea can do.—*La Crosse Free Press.*

A MEEK-EYED man offered as a test at a spiritual seance, that the medium name the articles in his wife's upper bureau-drawer. The medium said the spirits repeat the contents of Webster's dictionary, or any other light task, but that life was too short to attempt the task proposed, and the rash proposer was hustled out of the hall.—*Com. Bulletin.*

Food, Work and Sleep.

The things that a man most needs in this world are food, work and sleep. He does not need riches, honors or office to live. He needs society because he is made for it. He must love and be loved; his life and happiness are promoted by companionship; mutual dependence and counsel enlarge hope and stimulate courage. Yet after all he lives if his friends die. There is no grief, no form of bereavement, but it has its consolation. The best preserver of a man's life is contentment. Nor is work destructive of strength. Men look forward to rest, to a life of ease, which to them means cessation from toil and the care of business. They mistake the cause of weariness. It is not work; it is care, it is over-exertion, it is ambition and desire after gain that bring worn and weary feelings. All we possess we possess in life, the sooner we get through with life the sooner we relinquish our possessions. The faster a man lives, the quicker he reaches the end of life. There are three ends to life, and death is the last and least desirable of them. One end is to live. That is why we were created—to live, and as well as we can. Some go murmuring and groaning on their way, as though their life was a burden, and that it is piety to put a low estimate on it. The opposite is true. A man should seek to live out his days, and he cannot accomplish it in a better way than by using every means to promote life. Among these means are the three articles mentioned at the head of this article. When a man denies himself sleep, food, and the exercise work gives brain and body, he robs his life of its full term. Let him be cheerful also. He is like an engine—it will run well and long if it is well oiled. Contentment and cheerfulness are the oil which keep the nerves from wearing out. Busy men and women think that time taken from toil for lost sleep and recreation is time lost. It is really the cement put in to fill up the joints, to keep out the weather, and preserve the building.—*Providence Journal.*

SCOLDING.—It has neither religion, common sense, or experience to recommend it, while there are reasons many and mighty to justify its total and immediate abolition. It sours the temper of children, so that one thorough scolding prepares the way for two or three more. It sours your temper, provided it is sweet, which is a question if you are prone to scold; and thus the more you scold, the more you will have to scold, and because you have become *crosser*, and your children likewise.

Scolding alienates the hearts of your children. Depend upon it, they cannot love you as well after you have berated them as they did before. You may reproach them with firmness and decision, you may punish them with severity adequate to the nature of their offences, and they will feel the justice of your conduct, and love you notwithstanding all. But they hate scolding. It stirs up the bad blood, while it discloses your weakness, and lowers you in their esteem. Especially at night, when they are about to retire, their hearts should be melted and moulded with voices of kindness, that they may go to their slumbers with thoughts of love stealing around their souls, and whispering peace.

WATCH THE CHILDREN'S FEET.—The following advice from the New York *Evening Post* is very important. Let every mother remember it:

"Life long discomfort and sudden death often come to children through the inattention or carelessness of the parents. A child should never be allowed to go to sleep with cold feet; the thing to be last attended to is to see that the feet are dry and warm. Neglect of this has often resulted in dangerous attacks of croup, diphtheria or a fatal sore throat. Always, on coming from school, on entering the house from a visit or errand in rainy, muddy or thawy weather, the child should remove its shoes, and the mother should herself ascertain whether the stockings are the least bit damp. If they are, they should be taken off, the feet held before the fire, and rubbed with the hands till perfectly dry, and another pair of stockings and another pair of shoes put on. The reserve shoes and stockings should be kept where they are good and dry, so as to be ready for use on a minutes' notice."

MAKING COFFEE.—If for breakfast, prepare it the night before, in the following manner: Take one heaping tablespoonful of coffee, if you wish it very strong, to each person, but for coffee of medium strength one level tablespoonful is the rule. Put it in a muslin bag and twist a coarse thread around the top of it a few times, no need to tie it, put it in a bowl, and for each person add one full cup of cold water, or if you have cold coffee use it in place of water as far as it will go, cover closely and let it stand over night. About fifteen minutes before breakfast turn bag and all into your coffee pot and let it just come to a boil, then set where it will keep hot until used. Put it into a bowl to soak over night for fear it might rust the coffee pot, and acquire a disagreeable taste from standing in tin. Of course the bag keeps all the grounds from the coffee.

TO POLISH LINEN.—Make the starch in the usual manner, adding a little wax or sugar, or white soap or butter, or gum arabic water, to keep it from sticking. Starch the linen, if double, on the right side, so it will not blister when ironed. Iron in the usual way, then lay the linen to be polished on a board with a piece of muslin on it, pass a dampened cloth over it, and polish with a polishing iron. These irons may be bought for 75 cents or $1 apiece at any house-furnishing store. Those with a bulge at each end are the best. In making the first experiment, use an old shirt to practice on.

To prevent the skin discoloring after a bruise, take a little dry starch or arrow-root, merely moisten it with cold water, and place it on the injured part. This is best done immediately, so as to prevent the action of the air upon the skin. Invaluable for black eyes.

THE WINTERS ADVOCATE.

SATURDAY..... .....MARCH 17, 1877

LOCAL AGENTS.

O. E. St Lgis .....Woodland.
H. M. Hoyt .....Knight's Landing.
John L Page.....Cacheville.

☞Mr. P J McGrath is appointed Agent at large for the Advocate, and will receive subscriptions and receipt for the same.

☞W. B McClellan, Real Estate Agent, is our agent at Sacramento, who will receive advertisements and attend to collections and receipt for the same.

LAW OF NEWSPAPERS.

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to continue the subscription.

2. If subscribers wishing their papers discontinued, publishers may continue to send them until all charges are paid.

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5. The Courts have decided that refusing to take a paper from the office, or removing and leaving it uncalled for, is "prima facie evidence of intentional fraud."

☞Gentlemen who subscribed for the Advocate to be sent to friends in the East, on its first issue, will confer a favor by informing us if they wish such subscriptions continued, as we find no record of their names left us by the former proprietor.

It is now conceded that Bradley's judicial robe is cut bias.

Democrats are like tea—their real strength and goodness are not properly drawn out until they have been in hot water.

Key, nominated and confirmed as Post Master General by Hayes, was Colonel of the Seventh Tennessee Cavalry, Army of the Confederate States.

Boruck's dander is evidently on the rise over the situation. He says "the Democrats may hereafter take the d—n State and keep it."

The northern portion of Sherman Island in the Sacramento river, is rented to Chinese at $20 per acre, the owners finding it more profitable to rent at this price than cultivate it themselves.

The Yolo Mail man is evidently seeking a position "on the fence." Hear him, on our very good friend Harlin:

The man who leads in the Democratic ranks Assemblyward is J. H Harlin, one of our present Supervisors. An excellent selection and hard to beat.

When he gets one leg over the fence he will get it right—"impossible to beat."

W. H. McNeill, of Russian river township, just returned from an extended tour in Yolo, Solano and Napa counties, informs the Santa Rosa Democrat that the summer fallow land in Yolo county bids fair to produce the best crop ever raised. In Solano the crop is about the same as in Yolo. In Napa all the grain looks well. Mr. McNeill was in Winters, Davisville, Buckeye and Woodland in this county.

Raining Clams.—That California is a great country is being satisfactorily proven day by day. For instance, the Santa Ana News tells this story: "A singular shower of clams in the shell fell on Dr. Jones' ranch, near this place, during the recent rain. The lady of the household occupying the ranch, gathered up a quantity of the clams, they being alive, and cooked them for the family."

An astounding statement was made by Professor Crowhurst, on Friday night last, at the Temperance mass meeting in Winters. He said a grand Ball was given at Vallejo on one of the Russian men of war now lying off that place, in honor of the anniversary of the coronation of the Russian Czar, at which a large number of ladies of the upper-tendom of Vallejo were present. After the Ball was over several of those ladies were carried to their homes beastly drunk.

Some of our exchanges from the southern portion of the State are expressing fears of coming distress for want of rain. In some places, we are told, not a drop of rain has fallen this season. In other parts but little rain has fallen. In the San Benito region stock is suffering and dying from want of feed. In San Diego county sheep and stock are dying by thousands from a like cause. We hear it intimated that, from present appearances, the counties of Yolo, Solano, Napa and Colusa, bid fair to produce the largest portion of the grain yield of California this year.

As a specimen of the illiberality of the Radical Vallejo Chronicle, we find it stating that the passage of the bill for the relief of brandy distillers was solely "owing to the devoted efforts of Senator Sargent," when the editor knew that Hon. J. K Luttrell, by persistent efforts in the previous session, procured the passage of a relief bill by the House of Representatives, which failed in the Senate through the treachery of Senator Booth, whose house has the agency for the sale of liquor from another State. Failing in this, at the recent session he applied to Sargent for assistance, and a substitute bill similar in most respects to the former bill passed both Houses, and is now the law of the land.

Effgy Sargent announces himself a candidate for re-election to the U. S. Senate, although in 1875 he stated positively in black and white that he would not accept a re-election. He also thinks that Hayes' administration would be likely to acquiesce in his re-election. We think Hayes' administration has about as much to do with the matter as the man in the moon. The people of California will do their own business in that line, and Hayes or no Hayes, consign the man who thinks California cannot dispense with his services, to political and deserved oblivion.

The Sacramento Bee says "Sargent seems to be of the opinion that his candidacy alone can prevent the election of a Democrat." Another specimen of cheek.

CHEEK.

The editor of the Solano Republican in his issue of the 10th instant, says, in reference to the editor of the Dixon Dispatch that "we are fond of cheek, if it is only a little bit refined." And as a sample of the "refined cheek" of the editor we give the following, not only of refined but "unadulterated, corrosive, brassy cheek." He says:

The recent trying and perplexing crisis, precipitated by the Presidential muddle, through which our nation has just passed demonstrates to a certainty that the principles which underlie our system of government are founded upon a solid rock, as firm as adamant. It establishes beyond cavil the ability of an intelligent, free people to surmount all obstacles—to be self-sustaining—to be capable of self-government. No nation or people ever passed through a more trying or terrible ordeal than we have in the settlement of the vexed Presidential complications, and yet the whole matter has been entirely and satisfactorily settled, and as a nation we have come out unscathed, and our star as a self governing people is still in the ascendant. * * * It is gratifying to think that our statesmen were able to agree upon the procedure which proved so equitable, just and satisfactory to the masses. The problem of self-government has been subjected to the fiery ordeal, and it is not a myth—it is a verity—an established fact.

Now let us place before the people "an established fact." Mr. Tilden, chosen by a majority of a quarter of a million of his fellow citizens of these United States as President, has been defranded of that position by an unlawfully constituted and corrupt Returning Board, denounced as such in 1874 by William A. Wheeler, now holding the position of Vice-President, and who at that time insisted that "its decisions were entitled to no respect whatever," and also went so far as to discuss "the alarming contingency of this same corrupt Board having at some day the power to decide a Presidential election and deprive the whole country of its choice," but who now holds the office by the decisions of this same corrupt Returning Board, which two years previously he insisted "was entitled to no respect whatever." This is an "established fact," and carries with it conviction to the mind of every citizen, not eaten up by prejudice and hate of the rights of the people, that Mr. Hayes holds office by the corrupt practices of this same Returning Board, and the arrant and unrighteous partisanship of a majority of the Supreme Judiciary of the country, in refusing to investigate admitted frauds. And by this established fact, we are told by the cheeky editor of the Republican, and endorsed by others of his kind, "the whole matter has been entirely and satisfactorily settled, and as a nation we have come out unscathed, and our star as a self-governing people is still in the ascendant and has proved so equitable just and satisfactory to the masses!" For "unadulterated, corrosive and brassy cheek," we commend the editor of the Solano Republican, as a specimen of the first water and worthy of a place among the wild animals of Barnum's menagerie.

DEAD STEP.

"Kick a man when he is down" seems to be the order of the day as touching the hoed-out leaders of the Republican party. For instance, Simon Cameron, U. S. Senator, who, to use a common political phrase, has "held the State of Pennsylvania in his breeches pocket," for thirty years, and also been one of the greatest powers in the Republican party and influential in seating Hayes in the Presidential chair, has resigned in disgust, and here is a parting kick administered to Simon on his retirement by the Republican Sacramento Bee: "It was he who, at Cincinnati, swung the Pennsylvania delegation to Hayes, thus defeating Blaine and securing the nomination of the former. Hence he naturally looked upon Hayes' election to the Presidency as at least another four years' lease of his power. But the Inaugural and the Cabinet of the new President have convinced the old Warwick that he had builded upon a sandy foundation. He accepted the new order of things at Washington as a notice for him to quit, and so, filled with chagrin, he has determined to have no more to do with public events he has no influence in shaping, and has stepped down and out with as much grace as he was able to command under the circumstances. Neither the nation nor the Republican party loses anything by his retirement from public life, for during his whole political career his moral influence upon politics has been very bad."

IGNORANCE AND IMPUDENCE.

The impudence of the leaders of of the Radical party, is nowhere more fully illustrated than in the appointment and confirmation of ignorant negroes to important and lucrative Federal offices, as will be seen from the following dispatch from Washington to the New York Tribune, Radical, under date of Monday last: It is reported (says the dispatch), that one of the earliest acts of Hayes' Administration will be to change some of the important Federal officers in Louisiana. Several of these are negroes who can neither read nor write. Even the important position of Naval Officer at New Orleans is held by a negro whose accounts came up to the Auditing officers of the Treasury signed by his mark. This person is notoriously unable to read or write, and it is reported that he divides the large emoluments of his office with outside persons." If this showing fails to convince every honest member of the Radical party of the manner in which the interests of the people have been sacrificed during the past decade, then we can only add: "Ephraim is joined to his idols; let him alone."

America is becoming very important to Europe. Not only are immense quantities of wheat and corn exported, but dressed beef and mutton are becoming valuable articles of commerce. Glasgow receives large quantities. Since July, also, about 250 head of American cattle have been landed at Glasgow, some of them bringing a large price.

The Colusa Sun says that Mr. Leversage, of Sacramento, and his three children, were burned to death while visiting relatives in that county.

State Rights With a Vengeance

An Eastern journal that supported Tilden, though its editors and publishers had been Radicals up to 1876, reviews the situation as follows:

More than forty years ago, South Carolina, under the lead of Calhoun, claimed the right to nullify the laws of the United States, which "the State" believed were passed in violation of the National Constitution. There was a good deal of row about it at the time, as most people will remember.

In 1861, a claim resting upon the same principle was set up by the partisan leaders in eleven Southern States. There was again a good deal of a row about it, as most people will remember; for the claim was resisted and extinguished by a four years' war.

But now comes the Bradley tribunal, speaking through the only member whose opinion is considered,—a New Jersey man of the name of Joseph P. Bradley—and asserts the doctrine that "a State" may at its mere will nullify not merely its statute, but the Constitution of the United States. This is going further than Calhoun went, and if acquiesced in will be another broad step toward dispensing with a written Constitution altogether.

The Constitution provides that "this Constitution and the laws of the United States made in pursuance thereof shall be the supreme law of the land and all Judges shall be bound thereby, anything in the Constitution or laws of any State to the contrary notwithstanding."

Calhoun and Jefferson Davis decided that this provision might be set aside by any State that should choose to do so, and so did Bradley.

The Constitution provides that no person holding an office of trust or profit under the United States shall be appointed an Elector of the President.

Bradley decides that this provision may be set aside by any State that chooses so to do.

Three partisan Judges, at least, agree—Calhoun, Jefferson Davis, Bradley!

"Hard cases make bad laws." This well-known aphorism finds renewed confirmation in Bradley.

To declare the legal-tender Act unconstitutional was hard on the railroad speculators; and so Bradley was packed on to the Bench to make the law by giving a majority in favor of its constitutionality.

To hold ineligible persons to be good Electors was hard on the Republican party, which has, and for years has had, scarcely any person fit for an Elector who did not hold an office of trust or profit under the United States; and so Bradley was put on the Commission to make bad law by deciding that a State can nullify the national Constitution.

To count the votes lawfully cast for Mr. Tilden would make him President. This was felt by the office-holders to be hard; and so Bradley was called upon to decide not only that a State can nullify, but that Bradley can nullify the Constitution, notwithstanding that the State, its people, and its Courts, decide the contrary.

OUR CORRESPONDENCE.

THE CROP PROSPECT.

Editor Winters Advocate: Having paid a flying visit to Vacaville and the adjoining valleys, I can give the most gratifying reports from all parts of Vaca and Pleasant Valleys in respect to the present prospect of the coming fruit crop, the crop being at least ten days ahead of last season at this time. Should the late frosts keep off this will be a profitable season for the horticulturist. As the earliest fruit in the State is produced in these valleys the ripening of it ten days ahead of other seasons is a matter of great interest to the producers. Passing down through the valley I could not but admire the beauty of those tastily arranged orchards and vineyards. As our spirited horses swept along the sweet scented odor of a thousand varieties of bloom came wafting on the breeze. There we beheld the fig, the orange, apricot, peach, pear, plum and hundreds of other varieties, all presenting a picture that Nature alone can paint. I could but say, behold the Garden of Eden. On our return trip, following the public highway and skirting the foothills, I saw such fields of wheat and barley as no State can produce but California. The wheat crop is most promising, and should we have as favorable weather until harvest as it has been since planting, the yield will be unprecedented.

Geogas.

Dispatch.—The Solano Republican says: "John McDonald, an old resident, was accidentally and perhaps fatally, shot Tuesday evening. While at Frank Lee's ranch that evening, he attempted to mount a horse with a shot-gun in his hand the trigger of which caught in the stirrup, discharging the gun. The charge took effect in his right arm just above the wrist, mangling it fearfully. Drs. Lockwood and Downing who were called in, found the hemorrhage so great that it was deemed necessary to perform an amputation at once. Dr. Downing proceeded to amputate the arm with a small dissecting knife and butcher's saw, accomplishing the feat remarkably quick. Soon after the operation the patient revived, and felt well enough to demand his pipe for a smoke. At present, he is getting along as well as could be expected; but considering his advanced age, the great loss of blood and the condition of his constitution, the case though looking favorable may terminate fatally.

An Eastern paper having had considerable to say about "raising chickens by hand," the Galveston News responds: "Such information is not needed in the South. The whole colored population know how to do it, and an enterprising freedman can raise more pullets in a single night, on his way home from prayer-meeting, than that Eastern editor could raise in a year, with all his science."

A Wisconsin editor illustrates the prevailing extravagance of the people of the present day by calling attention to the costly baby carriages in use now; while, when he was a baby they hauled him around by the hair of his head.

GENERAL ITEMS.

The honey crop of California now amounts to about 1000 tons annually more than is consumed in the State.

A German Prince, report says, is soon to lead to the altar one of Petaluma's fair daughters.

The residents of Marysville are setting out orange trees in the streets for shade.

Thousands of dollars worth of sheep have died in Kern county for want of feed—lack of rain the cause.

Grape cuttings to the number of 2000 were recently shipped from St. Helena to fill an order from Texas, by mail.

The Legislature of Rhode Island has passed a bill to encourge the raising of half-breeds, that is, to facilitate the marriages of negroes with whites.

Sheep are selling in Australia at 25 cents a head; in Kern county, California, at 50 to 75 cents a head.

A San Diego editor says that "at the risk of being pronounced a falsifier by Eastern people, he will state that Bees filled an empty hogshead in a back yard with honey."

Under local option 31 counties in Texas enforce the Maine prohibitory law.

1,475 barrels of flour were ground at the Starr Mills, Vallejo, one day last week, believed to be the largest grist of flour ever turned out in the United States by a single milli n the same length of time.

The Dixon Tribune says the Grangers' Business Association of Dixon have under consideration the building of a railroad between that place and Collinsville.

The Yolo Mail man has made an important discovery, to-wit, that he posesses "honesty, ability, brains and energy!" This comes from over-indulging in "thin camp meeting soup."

Blaine has sufficiently recovered his health to state that, "The title of Hayes to the Presidency is no better than is that of Packard to the Governorship of Louisiana."

Felix Stokes, a Missourian, hung himself in Tulare county last week.

Jessie Robert, ten years old, Colusa county, didn't know it was loaded.

Somebody has been trying to burn down the house of the editor of the Truckee Republican. Serves him right; had no business owning a house.

Saturday night the police made a raid on a club house, in Washington, and captured several ex-Members of Congress, Senators, Judges, and others who were engaged in gambling.

A clergyman in Boston recently aroused his sleepy audience by announcing, in the most positive manner that "notwithstanding the hard times, the wages of sin have not been cut down one iota."

Don't look too hard, except for something agreeable. We can find all the disagreeable things in the world between our own hats and boots.

From experiments made by scientific gentlemen, the fact has been ascertained that the water which the San Francisco people daily drink is literally alive with water bugs.

An English doctor says that a strong passionate love will bring on heart disease, and it stands us all in hand to love mildly and with a good deal of lethargy.

Music was furnished by telegraph a week since for a Ball at Chicago, the performers being stationed at a telephone eighty-one miles distant from the Ball room.

A prismoidal, or single rail railroad, is in successful operation from Norfolk, on Sonoma Creek, to the town of Sonoma.

Strawberry short cakes this year will be cut bias, and rather fuller in the crust than usual. Those in two shades of saleratus, trimmed with the material will be much in vogue.

J. K. Waldron, well known in Nevada county, entered a saloon Monday at Columbia Hill, and called for a glass of liquor. The barkeeper gave him a glass of water instead of whisky, which Waldron drank. In a moment afterwards he fell dead on the floor. Deceased had been a heavy drinker.

A clergyman who was invited to preach before a medical association returned answer that he would do so from the text: "In his disease Asa sought not to the Lord but to the physicians; and Asa slept with his fathers and died." The time for the delivery of the sermon has not yet been fixed.

Howling against the "bloody Democracy" will not help Effgy Sargent much if re-election to the Senate is what he is after.

All the quarter-horse race scalawags in the country are now writing to Bradley to ask him to act as Judge—on shares.

Here are two examples, which show conclusively that our Navy is run at more than double the expense of that of England and not as efficient at that: "The British iron clad frigate Raleigh, 22 guns, 5,200 tons, 5,639 horse power, total pay of officers per annum, $24,920. United States sloop-of-war (wooden), average, 8 guns, 910 tons, 1,150 horse-power, total pay of officers per annum, $57,404 50. Or, pay of officers British frigate, $24,920; pay of officers American corvette, $57,404 50; excess of pay for American sloop, $32,484 50. Therefore our small sloop, with one-third the number of guns, one-sixth the tonnage and one-fifth the power, costs nearly one hundred and forty per cent. more than a British iron-clad frigate of the first-class. The gross injustice of a system which inflicts such enormous burdens on taxpayers, and creates a preferred class of pensioners on the Treasury needs no comment.

"Tam O'Shanter," is the nom de plume of a Winters correspondent of the Yolo Mail. This penny-a-liner essayed to run a tilt against Madison and "Bill Dadd The Scribe," and received in return a "gentle reminder" from our friend "The Scribe," compared with which a kick from a rough shod mule would have been deemed pleasant by the aforesaid penny-a-liner.

Desirous of giving our ladies the latest fashions, we copy the following important announcement from Madame Demorest's last issue of fashions: "All shades of grey are seen in the de beiges and vigognes." There now, ladies.

MARRIED.

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By the Order of

WM. SIMS, C. C.

JOSEPH HILL, K. of R. and S. nov18-tf.

POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

Mail closes daily at the Post Office at Winters for the North, South, East and West, at 3 o'clock P. M. Also, for the North and East at 9 o'clock P. M.

Mails Arrive at Winters....11:30 A.M. and 8:30 P. M.

OFFICE HOURS.

7 o'clock A M. to 5 o'clock P. M., and 7 o'clock P. M. to 9 o'clock P. M.

ON SUNDAYS.

8 o'clock A. M. to 10 o'clock A. M.; 4 o'clock P. M to 5 o'clock P. M.

dec16 LORENZO MOODY, Postmaster.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

YOLO DISTRICT LODGE, I. O. G. T.—The quarterly meeting of the Yolo County District Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, composed of delegates from the seven lodges in the county, was held at Winters on Saturday last. On the previous evening a mass meeting was held in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, W. Sims, P. W. C. T., presiding. The meeting was addressed by Hon. J. B. Carrington, G. W. C. T; Professor Crowhurst, and Rev. H. W. Read, on the subject of temperance, with marked effect, a number of signatures to the pledge having been obtained at the close of the meeting. Mrs. Fassett presided at the organ and Prof. Fassett led the choir. Several excellent pieces of music were given and the entire proceedings enlisted the undivided attention of a large audience. The following preamble and resolution was subsequently passed by the lodge:

Whereas, our thanks are due to the pastor and trustees of the C. P. Church, for their kindness in giving the use of the house, and also to Brother Read for his kindness in giving place and assistance, and also to Mr. and Mrs. Fassett, and others, for their kindness. Therefore

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered them by the Lodge.

On Saturday the regular session of the District Lodge was held at their lodge room, Masonic Hall building.

FOOTBALL.—This species of amusement has been indulged in for some time past on Main street, to the imminent danger of life and limb of citizens passing and re passing. It has been the more dangerous from the fact of wagons and buggies coming to town daily, many of the teams being secured to hitching posts near the scene of those football operations. Only a few days ago we read of a Boston lady having been struck, while passing, with one of these balls propelled with force, causing internal hemorrhage and subsequent death, and on Monday last, N. Kimberly, barkeeper in Welch's saloon, was struck near the shoulder blade by the pole of a wagon attempting to pass, and severely injured. It is to be hoped a more retired spot will be chosen in the future for indulging in this exhilirating sport.

HOWARD SPRINGS. — These celebrated Springs are located in a lovely little valley, surrounded by tall pine-covered mountains in Lake county, about six miles south of Clear Lake, and seven miles from the town of Lower Lake. Mr. Howard, the gentlemanly proprietor of these celebrated Springs, is making extensive improvements in accommodations for not only invalids but for parties wishing to spend the hot season pleasantly in this delightful locality. The curative property of the Howard Springs was satisfactorily tested by citizens of this and the adjoining county last season, and we predict a large increase of guests and visitors during the present Summer.

COMMITTED.—The man Klatt, noticed in our last as being arrested for stealing Mr. Allen's mules last Fall, was examined at Woodland on Monday. A number of witnesses from Winters and also the man to whom he sold the mules were present and testified to his identity. Klatt during the examination asserted his inability to speak a word of English and an interpreter was engaged. He was finally committed in default of $2000 bail, to await the action of the Grand Jury.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.—M. A Nurse County Surveyor, resigned his office on Monday last, and John A. Brown, of Winters, has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Brown is a surveyor of no ordinary ability, and having qualified has assumed the duties of his office and taken position as one of our county officials.

Mr. Brown will retain James O'Farrell, the present incumbent, as deputy county surveyor.

MADISON.—Our friend Chandler is shipping daily from his lumber yard in Winters large quantities of lumber and building material for the new town of Madison. In addition to daily shipments he has on hand two orders for seventy-five thousand feet of lumber for that destination.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.—Revival meetings have continued during the week at the C. P. Church, with good audiences and no abatement of interest in the services.

Rev J P. McCorkle, commences a series of revival meetings at the M. E. Church, this (Saturday) evening.

PIANO TEACHING.—Miss Willis, we learn, is prepared to give music lessons on the piano, and being, as we know, a very efficient instructress we commend her services to all who desire to acquire a thorough knowledge of that delightful accomplishment.

DROWNED.—The body of a man named Henry Pierce, of San Francisco, was taken out of Cache Creek on Wednesday last, March 14th. He was drowned on Sunday, March 4th. The Coroner has been notified and will hold an inquest on the body.

WOOD.—Mountain oak wood for sale at Chandler's Lumber Yard; only $6 per cord, cash; good measure.

BREVITIES, &c.

Rev. T. M. Johnson, of Monticello, has received the appointment of Deputy Assessor of Napa county.

A Powell, has sold his lumber yard and stock at Vallejo, to N. L. Drew, of Sacramento.

Miss Lizzie Baker, was in town last week, on a visit to her parents and returned to school Monday.

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of S. H. Davis, Sacramento, under the head of "New this Week."

Sam. Bachman, Frank Ward and Chas. Miller, have returned from Occident, where they have been erecting the new store for Sbaulding, Lowry & Co

M. J. Edgar, travelling agent for the Bulletin and Call was in town on Monday last. We learn that these papers have a large circulation in all portions of the State.

We learn that our fellow citizen, P. McGrath has sold out his business interest in Winters, on account of other business requiring his attention. As he will remain in the vicinity, we shall see the familiar face of our friend in occasional visits to Winters.

W. P. Womack has been appointed Constable of Buckeye township vice J. A. Brown, resigned.

Wheat continues to go forward from our warehouses daily by train.

Wheat in San Francisco keeps up in price, $2.05 to $2.10 being the current price for shipping; and $2.10 for milling.

Atchinson is doing a large business in the poultry line.

We call attention of our readers to the card of W. H. Austin, "Eternally at Law."

The Good Templars of Langville announce their intention to give a grand entertainment, April 2d.

The Solano county Board of Supervisors have ordered their county Surveyor to re-survey that portion of the Yolo and Solano line road on the lands of Mr. Mooney.

To day, March 17th, is St. Patrick's day, and will be celebrated on a large scale at San Francisco, and other cities in the State.

Judge Denson will hold a term of the Equity Court at Woodland, commencing on Monday next.

Our friend Nurse, late County Surveyor, intends devoting his time to his ranch. May abundant success await him.

HUNTERS OUT UP.—Thursday last shut down on the killing of mallard, teal, spoonbills, or any kind of broad bill ducks, as well as quail, patridge or grouse, the law making that species of sport between the 15th of March and the 15th of September a misdemeanor punishable by fine and imprisonment.

"A Subscriber," asks how about fishing in Putah Creek? and in answer we give the law, from which he will observe that while the law only prohibits the catching of trout, it positively prohibits the use of any poisonous or explosive substances for the purpose of destroying any species of fish. Here is its provisions:

Every person, who, between the fifteenth day of March and the fifteenth day of September in each year, takes, kills or destroys, quail, partridge or grouse, mallard, teal, spoonbills, or any kind of broad bill ducks, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who, between the 15th day of October in each year, and the first day of April in the following year, takes or catches any trout, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Every person who places or allows to pass into any of the waters of this State, any lime, gas, tar or any other substance deleterious to fish, is guilty of misdemeanor. And every person who uses any poisonous or explosive substance for the purpose of taking or destroying fish, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

The close season for salmon commences August 1st, and extends to November 1st.

Every person who, between the 1st day of January and the 1st day of September of each year, takes, kills or destroys any elk, deer, mountain sheep or antelope, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

The penalty for the violation of the law is as follows: Except in cases where a different punishment is prescribed by the Code, every offence declared to be a misdemeanor is punishable by imprisonment in a county jail not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding $500, or by both.

PRESENTATION.—At a meeting of Damocles Lodge, K of P last Thursday night, Ed. Fisher presented to the Lodge on behalf of Miss Emily Boyne, daughter of George Boyne, of Sacramento, a beautiful book mark of red silk ribbon, with emblems of the Order neatly worked thereon, and edged with gold fringe A committee consisting of Dr. Bell, Joe Hill and Wm. Sims, were appointed to draft a set of resolutions and return a vote of thanks for the really beautiful present.

VACAVILLE.—A Good Templars Lodge recently organized at Vacaville with seventy members and the following officers: W.C.T. Richardson Long; W. V. T., Mrs. Worsham; W. S., J. Sullivan; W. F. S., J. C. Allison; W. T., Miss Lulu Bryce; W. M., Miss Clara Davis; W. I. G., Miss Katie Bayley; W. O. G., H. M. Davis. Appointments—P. W. C. T., N. J. Kingsmill; W. C., Rev. J. B. Saxton; W. R. S., Miss Eliza Davis; W. L. S., Miss Lissa Long; W. D. M., William Butcher.

GOOD APPOINTMENT.—Our very good and sterling friend, D. E. Alexander, Esq., of Sacramento, has been commissioned as Major and Engineer Officer on the staff of Brigadier General Horan, who succeeds W. T. Crowell, defaulting collector of that city, in command of the Fourth Brigade, National Guard of California. As our friend is also a Justice of the Peace, this new addition to his efficiency will add force to his position as "a terror to evil doers."

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—"A Philosophic Comparison," is recived. "Enquirer," is informed that our columns are not open for theological discussions. We commend you to the study of the Bible, the passage you quote not being found in it, but originated with a heathen poet 2500 years ago. We cannot spare room for "Glen-Alpine and its Illustrations."

CARRIAGE PAINTING.—J. B. Merry, having secured the services of Mr. Charles Bohmen, a first-class carriage painter, is now prepared to execute all orders in that line, and guarantee entire satisfaction.

Harling, Lowry & Co.

One of the best known and extensive business houses in Yolo county, is that of Harling, Lowry & Co., of Winters. Their business is complete in all its branches and conducted with an intelligent enterprise and an accommodating spirit that commands the fullest confidence of the people of this section of country. The Clothing, Dry Goods, Jewelry, Grocery, Hardware, Crockery, and other departments of their establishment contain a general and varied assortment of articles of necessity and luxury, calculated to suit the most fastidious tastes. They are now receiving daily, goods of all descriptions for replenishing their stock for the Spring trade, and hard to please must be the man or woman who cannot find in the establishment of Harling, Lowry & Co., the wherewith to please their tastes, be they ever so varied. As it would occupy too much space to particularize, we advise those desiring of purchasing anything in their extensive and varied line of business to visit their establishment and judge for themselves of the truth of what is herein asserted. "Seeing is believing."

This firm have just opened a branch house of their Winters store at the new town of Occident, in Colusa county, and stocked it with general merchandise for the convenience of the citizens of that new and rising town.

BASE BALL.—The following communication has been received by the Winters Base Ball Club:

WOODLAND, March 10th, 1877.

We, the Silver Star B. B. C. of Woodland, do hereby challenge you for a match game of Base Ball, to be played at Woodland on Saturday, March 17th 1877, for a purse of $100, $50 a side, or more. Game to commence at 3 o'clock P. M.

C M PENDEGAST, Sec.

We are requested to publish the following answer to the above challenge.

WINTERS, March 15th, 1877,

C M. Pendegast, Sec. Silver Star Base Ball Club: Dear Sir, Your challenge has been received and through the columns of the ADVOCATE we would make the following answer. You being the challenging party, time and place should be left to us. We do not propose to play for money, but if your Club desires to have a friendly game with the Winters boys, we will make this proposition viz; to play a game at any time convenient to you, at Winters, for one of Peck & Snyder's best bat and ball.

ED. FERGUSON, Sec. Winters B. B.C.

The new Postmaster General has thrown a wet blanket over aspirants for postmasterships, over the heads of present incumbents, by announcing that "no vacancies exist."

THE HOME JOURNAL.—No. 1 of volume 1, of a small monthly paper under the above title, published at the Good Templars Home, at Vallejo, is on our table. As this institution is not confined to the orphans of Good Templars, and this paper is designed to afford the young folks at the Home a pleasing and useful recreation we commend it to the patronage of Good Templar Lodges specially and outsiders in general, as the Home is one of those laudable institutions of our State, which care for the well-being of friendless children, shield them from the vices and evils which beset the young and prepare them to go forth in life and battle for the right. The Home Journal is put at the low price of 50 cents a year.

DENTAL OFFICE AT MADISON.—Dr. Harding the well known Dentist of Suisun, Winters and Vacaville, has made very complete arrangements for opening a Branch office at Madison. The Doctor is a real living man, and can always be found attending to his business and of course we cannot help feeling that he will be as successful in his Madison office as at his other offices.

PORTRAITS.—We are pleased to announce that Mrs. J. Horning, the well known landlady of the Parker House, has secured the agency for Beall & Co. for retouching and enlarging photographs in oil, water colors, india ink or crayons. See her advertisement under the head of "New this week."

STOCK SALE.—Theodore Winters has sold six of his running stock, including Bradley, Ralston, and other favorites of the turf. They were purchased for the Japanese government, and will leave for Japan in a short time.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.—We learn that a man named Alfred L. Suyland, residing at Capay, while out hunting a few day since, accidentally shot himself, and died from the effects.

Dr. W. C. Harding, Dentist, will be at
Suisun, 19th to 24th March.
Vacaville, 26th to 31st March.
Suisun, 2 1 to 7th April.
Winters 9th to 14th April.
Suisun 16th to 21st of April.

Dr. Harding has in his employ a competent operator so that the main office at Suisun is always open for business.

Liquid Nitrous Oxide administered for the painless extraction of Teeth, perfectly safe.

Address all communications to office a Suisun.

Stage to Madison.

ON AND AFTER

THURSDAY, March 1, 1877,

I WILL RUN A

DAILY LINE OF STAGES,

BETWEEN WINTERS AND MADISON,

THE TERMINUS OF THE VACA VALLEY Railroad. The stage will be run up and back the same day.

FARE---$1 to Madison; $2 the round trip.

The Stage will be run to meet the train time table at Winters.

feb24-tf R. BROWN Proprietor.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING in Winters, under the firm name of DRYFUS & SPAULDING is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will please call at the store of Harling, Lowry & Co., in Winters and settle their accounts as soon as possible.

L. DRYFUS.
R. SPAULDING.

Winters, Yolo Co., March 5, 1877.—m10-4w.

The Lower Lake Bulletin has an extended notice of Quicksilver mines of that section, and among them we note the Manhattan mine, superintended by J. M. C. Walker, a cherished friend of the editor of the ADVOCATE, Mr. W. and himself having operated as Superintendent and Amalgamator at mines in Nevada, Sierra and Butte counties. An experienced miner and a gentleman in every sense of the word, we are pleased to know that ere long we shall be enabled to pay a flying visit and renew a pleasant acquaintanceship of many years standing.

The Los Angeles Herald says that O. W. Childs, of Los Angeles, has 300 full bearing orange trees, which average 1,000 oranges a tree, and sell for three cents apiece. Nine thousand dollars yearly return from less than four acres. How high is that?

At the city election held in Sacramento last Tuesday, the Democrats elected their candidates for Trustee and Fire Commissioner, and the Republicans captured the rest of the ticket.

COURT CALENDAR.

The Courts of Yolo County are held as follows:

There are three terms of the District Court, commencing on the third Monday of January, May and September. The Law Day for each of these terms is held on the tenth day next preceding the commencement of each of the said terms.

There are also held three Special Equity Terms of said Court, commencing on the third Monday of March, July and November.

There are four terms of the County Court, commencing on the first Monday of January, April, July and October.

There are also held four terms of the Probate Court, commencing on the respective days of the County Court, of which the County Judge is ex-officio Judge of the Probate Court, which is always open and in session for most business connected with the settlement of estates of deceased persons, and business of guardians.

The Board of Supervisors hold their regular sessions on the second Monday of each month.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used [free of charge], with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address,

REV. E. A. WILSON,
194 Penn St., Williamsburgh, New York.
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ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence.

JOHN B. OGDEN 42 Cedar St., New York.
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WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

HARLING,

LOWRY & CO,

RESPECTFULLY INVITE

THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC,

To the fact that they have just received a Large Stock of

FALL and WINTER GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HARDWARE,
CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE. ETC.

Together with every thing kept in a

General Merchandise STORE.

We have bought our goods

AT LOW FIGURES

And will sell them at

Greatly Reduced Prices

WE KEEP

First-Class Goods,

AND

WARRANT SATISFACTION.

GIVE US A CALL

Before Purchasing Elsewhere,

AND EXAMINE

Goods and Prices.

HARLING, LOWRY & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS
Main street bet. Railroad and First,
WINTERS, Yolo county Cal.
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MILK! MILK!!

H. JONES

INFORMS THE citizens of Winters that he is prepared to supply them with pure FRESH MILK, morning and evening, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a share of their patronage. Orders left at his residence on Grant street, Cox's Addition, will be promptly attended to. dec1f-tf

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

Blum & Co.,

DEALERS IN

CLOTHING AND DRYGOODS,

BOOTS AND SHOES

STATIONERY

SCHOOL BOOKS,

HARDWARE

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

TINWARE,
CROCKERY,
GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
DRUGS,
PAINTS,
OILS,
TOBACCO

CIGARS, WINES AND LIQUORS

GRAIN BAGS.

All of which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET PRICES.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

ALSO AGENTS FOR

MACHINERY OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

AND

Averill's Celebrated Chemical Paint.

Corner Main and Railroad Avenue,

WINTERS.
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E. A. HUMPHREY'S SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP,

RAILROAD STREET, BET. ABBY AND EDWARDS,

WINTERS.

Keeps a Large and Selected Stock of SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS BUGGY ROBES, LAP DUSTERS, WHIPS, ETC.

REPAIRING DONE AT THE

Shortest Notice,

AND AT

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
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OCCIDENTAL HOTEL

RAILROAD STREET COR. OF ABBY.

A. H. WENSLEY, : : PROPRIETOR.

FIRST-CLASS

Board and Lodging

BY THE DAY OR WEEK

AT REASONABLE RATES.

A CHOICE LOT OF

WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS.

ALWAYS ON HAND

AT THE BAR.
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WINTERS BAKERY,

M. S. WAGNER, : PROPRIETOR.

Corner of Main and Second Streets,

Winters.

ALL KINDS OF

BREAD,
CAKES,
PIES,
CANDIES, ETC.

AND IN THE SEASON,

ICE CREAM AND SODA WATER
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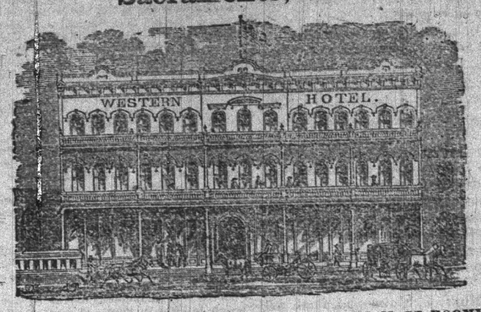
WOOD FOR SALE.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY CORDS OF Wood, standing in the tree, in Putah Canyon will be sold at the rate of $1 per cord as it stands. For further particulars apply at the office. jan27 1-2m

SACRAMENTO ADVERTISEMENTS.

WESTERN HOTEL,

Sacramento, Cal.



THIS NOW COMMODIOUS AND ELEGANT HOTEL—THE MOST ROOMY AND imposing in the city—was rebuilt, remodeled and improved throughout in the Summer of 1875, under the direction of WM. LAND, the present proprietor, who placed in it all the improved modern conveniences, and furnished it so complete that none in the city Can Equal It. It has a frontage on K street of 120 feet, extending back 160 feet, and is three stories high in addition to the Basement, which is used for the Laundry, Boilers, Steamer, Storerooms, Bakery, etc.

The Hotel has a Commodious Office and Reading Room,

And contains an ELEVATOR by which Guests may ascend and descend to and from the upper stories.

Its Facilities for escape from Fire are Complete,

There being FIVE means of escape from the upper stories of the building—by the rear as well as the front. It has 185 SLEEPING ROOMS, all well lighted and ventilated, there being but Seven dark rooms in the house, and these are connected with Parlors. The spacious Dining Room will accommodate 250 People at one Time. THE

Western Hotel gives the Best Meal for 25 cents to be had anywhere.

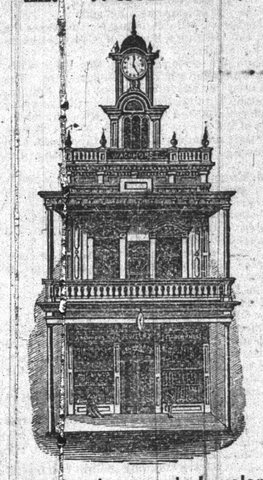
It is convenient to routes of travel, being only one block from the Railroad Depot and steamboat Landing.

BOARD AND LODGING. $1 TO $1 50 PER DAY. MEALS, 25 CENTS.

FREE COACH TO THE HOTEL. Exchange Office, Bath Rooms, Barber Shop and Laundry in the House. Shower Baths FREE to Guests.

feb3 1y WM. LAND, PROPRIETOR.

H. Wachhorst,



Watchmaker and Jeweler,

IMPORTER OF

DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY, Silver and Silver Plated Ware,

79 J Street, North side, between Third and Fourth.

SACRAMENTO,

SIGN OF TOWN CLOCK.
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JACOB GRIESEL,

MANUFACTURER OF AND DEALER IN SADDLES, HARNESS, COLLARS, CURRYCOMBS, WHIPS, BRUSHES, Etc.

No. 322 J Street, bet. Tenth and Eleventh (Opposite Central Hay Yard.)

SACRAMENTO.

N. B.—Repairing always well done. dec2-tf

J. A. Todd, Photographer,

84 and 86 J Street,

SACRAMENTO.
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WOODLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. K. SMITH,

FURNITURE DEALER AND

UNDERTAKER

Opposite Craft House, Woodland.

A FULL SUPPLY OF

WOOD AND METALIC BURIAL CASES AND CASKETS,

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Orders by Telegraph Promptly Attended to.
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KING, Photographer,

WOODLAND.

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Incorporated under the Laws of the State of California.

CAPITAL STOCK (in U. S. Gold Coin), $500,000

Bank of Woodland.

TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING AND EXCHANGE BUSINESS.

Gives particular attention to the collection of NOTES, DRAFTS, COUPONS, DIVIDENDS, ETC.

J. D. STEPHENS.....President
C. W. BUSH.....Cashier.
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DR. B. H. PEIRSON,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

Office—Main Street, near Bynum & Co's Drug Store. Office hours, from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. and from 7 to 9 P. M., unless professionally engaged.
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WOODLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. E. ST. LOUIS,

GENERAL VARIETY STORE,

MAIN STREET, WOODLAND.

CONSISTING OF

Cigars,
Tobacco,
Guns and Pistols.

STATIONERY.

SCHOOL BOOKS, TOYS Etc.

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E. J. HAIGHT. E. BYNUM.

E. BYNUM & CO.,

Druggists AND Apothecaries

OPPOSITE CRAFT HOTEL,

WOODLAND, Cal.

Have just received a large lot of

GOODS FROM NEW YORK,

And keep on hand a complete stock of FRENCH, GERMAN ENGLISH AND AMERICAN

Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, TOILET ARTICLES, ETC.

Also Paints, Oil, Glass, and Pure Liquors,

For Medical Purposes.

PRESCRIPTIONS ACCURATELY COMPOUNDED, NIGHT OR DAY

By careful and competent Druggists.

PRICES GREATLY REDUCED

Lubin's Extracts.....90 cts per Bottle
Dickey's Cream de Lis...60 cts per Bottle
Florida Water.....60 cts per Bottle
Hall's Hair Renewer....75 cts per Bottle
King's Ambrosia.....75 cts per Bottle

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P. KRELLENBERG,

Dealer and Manufacturer of all kinds of

Furniture and Bedding

Which will be Sold at

REASONABLE PRICES,

ALSO

General Undertaker.

I keep on hand a large lot of

BURIAL CASES and COFFINS

AND HAVE A

FIRST-CLASS HEARSE,

So that I am prepared to supply everything necessary for Funerals on short notice.

Store corner Third and Main Streets,

Opposite Peckman & Reed's Livery Stables,

Woodland.
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Fashionable Dressmaker.

Mrs. John Webber,

THE WELL KNOWN

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKER,

HAS REMOVED TO

A. LALEXANDER'S WHITE HOUSE,

MAIN STREET, WOODLAND,

WHERE she is prepared to make Dresses of all kinds in the LATEST STYLES. She does her work neatly and promptly, and satisfaction guaranteed.

All orders from the Country, for Dress Goods or Trimmings will receive prompt attention.
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J. S. WHITE. J. D. ELSTON.

Elston & White

SUCCESSORS TO

J. L. SIMPSON,

DRUGGISTS,

Galbraith's Block, Main Street,

WOODLAND.

FRESH DRUGS AND MEDICINES.
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PERSONAL.

MR. MOODY is forty years old.

COLONEL BOB INGERSOLL'S new lecture is said to be on ghosts.

THE Hon. George F. Hoar is said to look and talk like Horace Greeley.

THE widow of Charles Hugo is about to marry M. Lockroy, a French Deputy.

IT is thought that Judge Stanley Matthews will succeed Sherman as Senator from Ohio.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S son, Robert T., has been appointed one of the Railroad Commissioners of Illinois.

DR. SCHLIEMANN has already in press an account of his recent discoveries on the site of the Ancient Mycenæ.

CHARLES DICKENS, JR., has abandoned literary pursuits, and is now chief partner in a London printing house.

THE Murdoch testimonial fund will give $60 per month for five years to the mother and sister of the dead actor.

DAN RICE was sold out by the sheriff in Kentucky the other day. It was the first time he has been sold out this year.

A CORRESPONDENT wants to know if J. G. Bennett is bound over to keep the peace? No, sir; he's bound over to Liverpool.

DON CARLOS has returned to Paris from Russia, and will for the present occupy the hotel at Passy taken recently by his wife.

MRS. LIVERMORE has been invited by concurrent resolution to address the Indiana Legislature on the rights of married women.

BRECKINRIDGE'S elegant house in Washington was bought by Alfred Lee, a negro, who deals in feed, and who paid $40,000 for it.

BENJAMIN F. BRISTOW, it is said, is almost certain to be appointed to the Supreme Court, to fill the vacancy caused by Davis' resignation.

SIR WALTER SCOTT'S house in Edinburgh has just been sold for less than $15,000. So much for the power of association in these prosaic days.

THE Hon. Charles Francis Adams and Mrs. Adams are going abroad in April with their daughter, when that young lady marries and takes her wedding trip with Dr. Quincy.

PHILIP PHILLIPS has just completed his "one hundred evenings of sacred song" for the London Sunday School Union. He is expected to be in this country again before long.

THACKERAY'S relics are highly prized in these days. Four volumes of his novels, in which merely a visiting card had been inserted, were lately sold in London for something over $80.

JUDGE DAVID DAVIS owns fourteen farms in McLean county, Ill., alone. The size of his fortune and length of his waistband have deterred the Judge of late years from speeding the plow himself.

BEECHER says he takes more comfort in one sermon than a dozen lectures, but he thinks the latter are necessary as a part of public education and is willing to do his share of the work—for $40,000 a season.

IN a private letter Colonel Lee Crandall, a personal friend of Samuel J. Tilden, speaks highly of the gentleman as a lover of the fine arts. Mr. Tilden has one of the finest collections of engravings in the country.

THE Pope will complete the fiftieth year of his Episcopate on May 21. On that day the long announced Vatican Exposition will begin. To this it is expected that the faithful all over the world will contribute.

THE Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Enquirer* says: A Senator told the President on Tuesday that he would vote to reject several of his Cabinet, and he (Hayes) replied very promptly, "You have the right to do that."

DEATH has again entered Carl Schurz's family for the third time within about a year, the loss of his wife and father being now followed by that of his venerable mother, who has been sharing his St. Louis home since her husband's death.

MR. JAMES GORDON BENNETT, who at last advices was in Paris, is not likely to remain abroad for an indefinite period, as he has already been making inquiry about certain cottages in Newport, where it is expected he will spend a part of the season as usual.

DAVID DUDLEY FIELD doesn't like tobacco. Entering a Committee room the other day he found a reporter smoking. "Young man," said he, "throw away that cigar; smoke is offensive to me. I'd just as soon a man would spit in my face as to smoke where I am."

MR. FRANKLIN SIMMONS, the American sculptor in Rome, is a solitary and absorbed man, giving all his thoughts to his profession and the study of art. If a friend visits his studio, Simmons' first question is always, "But do you see any progress? Don't praise me, but tell me if I make any step in advance?"

HORACE MAYNARD, of Tennessee, Minister to Turkey, was once amusingly served by a counterfeiter whom he defended, and by a great effort, managed to get acquitted. His client gave him a handsome fee and immediately left the town, and poor Maynard presently found that he had been paid in counterfeit money.

THE late Signor Blitz, the magician, once said to Daniel Webster in Washington, "Give me 100,000 Treasury notes to count, and watch closely, and you will find only 75,000 when I return them." "Signor," responded Webster, "there is no chance; there are here better magicians than you; they would not leave 50,000 after their counting."

MISS KATE FIELD, who is one of the busiest women in the world, has just accepted a permanent position on the staff of the London *Examiner*, a leading liberal, literary weekly; is a contributor to the *Hornet*, has written a play for Herman Vezin and a blank verse poem, her first attempt, which has been warmly praised. Beside all this she is fulfilling an important theatrical engagement in London.

WHETHER at work or at leisure in his study, Mr. James Russell Lowell occupies a broad easy chair, standing midway between the table and the fireplace, which holds blazing logs. In this chair he has done most of his writing, his only desk being a piece of stiff pasteboard, conveniently resting on his knee. One of the curiosities which Mr. Lowell's study contains is a pair of silver sleeve-buttons, now tarnished almost into blackness, which were once worn by Robert Burns. Mr. Lowell is fond of trees and flowers, and often works among them. He is an angler and a pedestrian, never riding when he can walk. He is in excellent health, and looks manly, robust and erect. He may sometimes be seen in bleak wintry weather walking leisurely through Cambridge thoroughfares, with not even the ghost of an overcoat enveloping him.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

House.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED:—A resolution was reported from the Select Committee on Privileges, declaring that Samuel J. Tilden received 196 Electoral votes of Electors legally and constitutionally appointed, and was thereby duly elected President of the United States; and that it is the opinion of the House that Thomas A. Hendricks, having received a like number of votes for Vice-President, was duly elected. The resolution was adopted by a strict party vote.

Declaring that in counting the Electoral votes of any State, it is the right and duty of Congress and of this House to inquire whether any votes purporting to come from a State have been cast by the persons duly appointed by that State, and for that purpose to receive evidence of forgery, falsehood, or invalidity of any certificate of any Governor or canvasser.

Accepting on behalf of the people of the United States the congratulations of the people of Ireland, with profound acknowledgement and grateful recognition.

House, of Tennessee, moved to pass the Senate bill to pay Perez Dickenson of Tennessee $38,000 for cotton, used by Burnside's corps in fortifications around Knoxville. Adopted—yeas 146, nays 66.

BILLS PASSED:—The Army Appropriation bill. It provides for a reduction of cavalry regiments to eight, artillery regiments to four, and infantry regiments to sixteen. Officers of discontinued regiments may be assigned to other regiments of their respective arms, and that any officer, on his own application, may be ordered a discharge, with one year's pay for every eight years of service; that there shall be no distinction in the service on account of color; that there shall be no new enlistments in the army till the number of enlisted men shall be reduced to 17,000; also, that no part of the appropriation shall be used in support of claims of either Governments in Louisiana or Florida, until such Governments shall have been duly recognized by Congress.

The bill for the payment of claims passed upon by the Commissioners of Southern Claims. It appropriates $474,000.

The Senate bill extending for two years the Act establishing a Board of Commissioners of War Claims.

The Conference report on the Post Office Appropriation bill has been agreed to. The franking privilege is restored for all public documents published by order of Congress. Each Senator and Representative, the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House has the privilege of franking them, and also outgoing members till the following December.

Making all pensions for death or wounds date back from the time of the soldier's death or discharge from service.

Holman reported that the Conference Committee on the Legislative Appropriation bill disagreed on the President's salary.

Clymer moved that the House recede. Agreed to, and the President's salary remains at $50,000.

The Legislative Appropriation bill.

REPORT.—The Conference report on the Post Office Appropriation bill was agreed to, the Senate having receded from the steamship subsidies, and the House compromised on the appropriation of $9,250,000 mail service instead of $9,600,000 as provided by the Senate.

Senate bill appropriating $250,000 for a National Museum was lost.

A motion was made to pass a bill with reference to public lands.

Morrison remarked it was a vicious and pernicious measure.

Page, who was standing within two feet of him, said that was not true, whereupon Morrison caught him by the throat with one hand. Members around quietly separated the disputants, and business went on as if no such interruption had taken place. The bill was rejected.

On the last day, near the Constitution al hour for fiscal adjournment, Banks offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be tendered to Speaker Samuel J. Randall, for the prompt, efficient and impartial discharge of the duties of his office, during the present arduous and important session of the Forty-fourth Congress. Passed unanimously.

The Army Appropriation Committee reported that the Committee was unable to agree. After long discussion the House insisted on its disagreement, and the committee was discharged.

Morrison, from the last Conference Committee on the Army bill, reported as follows:

The Conferees on the part of the House, while not insisting on the letter of the fifth section of the Army bill, maintained that they would consent to the passage of no Army Appropriation bill which should not contain such restrictions on the President in regard to the use of the United States troops in Louisiana as will prevent him from installing and maintaining the Packard government.

Here followed a short but intensely exciting and boisterous discussion. The yeas and nays were finally ordered on Morrison's motion to adhere, and the roll call was begun at 11:50 A.M., amid great confusion and excitement.

When the hands on the clock dial indicated five minutes before noon, and when it was a physical impossibility to conclude the call, the Speaker interrupted it, rose and delivered his valedictory address. At its close he said:

It only remains for me to declare that the constitutional limitation of the Forty-fourth Congress has been reached, and that this House stands adjourned without day.

Senate.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED:—Calling upon the Secretary of War to furnish the Senate a copy of the final report of operations of troops in the Modoc country under General Gillem.

Annulling Senate resolution of 1861, expelling Sebastian, Senator from Arkansas.

The House joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of State to publish a brief history of the several surveys and scientific expeditions under the direction of the Government during the past century, and appropriating $75,000 to pay therefor.

POSTPONED:—Sherman called up the bill recently reported by the Committee on Finance, in accordance with the message of the President, to aid in the resumption of specie payments.

Cockrell said financial matters were regulating themselves very happily, and if the subject were let alone, no legislation would be necessary to bring about specie payment. He moved that further consideration be postponed until the first Wednesday in December next. Agreed to—yeas, 27; nays, 22.

The House Bounty bill, after long discussion, was indefinitely postponed.

BILLS PASSED:—Senate bill relative to the production of grape brandy as a substitute for House bill relating to the production of fruit brandy, and to punish frauds connected with the same.

The bill extending for two years the Southern Claims Commission.

The House bill making an appropriation for payment of claims reported allowed by the Southern Claims Commission.

The Fortification Appropriation bill. Also the Conference report on the Naval Appropriation bill.

Granting a pension to the widow of Francis P. Blair.

REPORTS.—The Post Office Conference Committee submitted a report that the Committee disagreed on the item increasing the appropriation for mail transportation by railroads. On account of last year's reduction, the mail service of the great West was less efficient than in 1875. The $100,000 reduction meant injury to the service. The Committee also failed to agree on the Pacific Mail and Brazilian subsidies. After a long discussion, the Senate, 29 to 11, receded from its amendments appropriating $500,000 for mail service between San Francisco, China and Japan, and for the Brazilian service.

The Special Committee appointed to inquire into the change which had taken place in the relative value of gold and silver, the causes thereof, etc., commonly known as the Silver Commission, submitted the report of the Commissioners. A minority report was also read.

MISCELLANEOUS.—The credentials of L. F. Grover, United States Senator from Oregon, were presented.

Also the credentials of M. S. Butler, as United States Senator from South Carolina. They were signed by Wade Hampton as Governor, and had the seal of the State attached.

ADJOURNMENT.—*Resolved*, That the thanks of the Senate are due to Thomas W. Ferry, for the dignity, impartiality and ability with which he presided over the Senate. Passed unanimously.

The hour of 12 o'clock, March 4, having arrived, President pro tem. Ferry delivered his valedictory, at the close of which he said: I now pronounce the closing of the session of the Forty-fourth Congress.

San Francisco Markets.

Our quotations and market values are for commission lots, or lots sold from first hands, unless otherwise specified under the respective headings.

FLOUR—
Market quiet and steady.
Flour, superfine, fair to choice, ₩ bbl..$4 50 @$5 25
Flour, shipping..... 5 00 @ 5 75
Flour, extras..... 6 00 @ 6 25

WHEAT—
Liverpool cablegrams gave us lower prices following our last report, and a further decline of 2½c was established, though sellers at the decline were scarce, and the market ruled quiet. Latterly advices are a little more favorable, and sales here at $2 05@$2 10, the latter price for choice, delivered along side.

LONDON, March 13th.—The Mark Lane Express says: The supply of English Wheat at Mark Lane continues small, and most samples have been of an inferior condition. Prices, therefore, have been irregular and slightly lower for all but the finest lots. Imports into London have again been very light of foreign Wheat, no great arrivals of California having been reported, and the return is chiefly remarkable for the insignificant quantity of Wheat from the Atlantic ports. Germany has been exporting Wheat to the United Kingdom, but with a Continental demand springing up, it is unlikely that our shipments from this source, especially as last year's harvest on the Continent was generally deficient. The importation of East India continues steadily. Sales have been made without difficulty, as this class of grain has not lost ground in the opinion of millers. Operations have been chiefly retail, and although quiet the prevailed, prices are little altered. Russian Wheat has been in fair request. Some transactions for spring shipment from St. Petersburg have been effected for the Continent. A quantity of inferior American Wheat has recently been taken off our market, also for Continental account. Politics ceases to exercise an appreciable effect upon our own or the other principal European markets. There have been numerous arrivals of California cargoes into various ports of the United Kingdom, practically comprising the heavy shipments made from San Francisco in October. As we anticipated, they have been readily absorbed, Liverpool taking the lion's share, and the Continent few; and it is worthy of note that this increase in supply has been attended by a healthy trade. This will probably excite inquiry as to the sources from which our requirements later on are to be made up.

Wheat, superfine..... $1 95 @$2 05
Wheat, good to choice milling..... 2 10 @ 2 15
Wheat, choice shipping..... 2 07½@ 2 10
Wheat, fair to good shipping..... 2 00 @ 2 05
Wheat, mixed..... 1 60 @ 1 90

BARLEY—
The San Francisco Prices Current, dated San Francisco, March 10th, gives a detailed statement of the exports of this cereal from July 1st, 1876, to March 10th, 1877, from which we take the monthly aggregates by sea and overland:

MONTHS.	CTLS.
July.....	21,322
August.....	38,438
September.....	41,813
October.....	83,490
November.....	38,078
December.....	21,056
January.....	1,381
February.....	3,400
March 1st to 10th.....	3,923
Totals from July 1, '76 to March 10, '77.....	292,797

Interior shipments, July and August, none; September, 56,482 ctls, from San Jose; October, 26,481 ctls, from San Jose; November, 5,973 ctls, from San Jose; December and January none; February not reported as yet.

Respecting the weak transactions, values have ruled firm, closing quotably 5c higher than on last report; the volume of business done has been light; deliveries very light.

Barley, Coast Feed..... $1 25 @$1 32½
Barley, Bright Bay..... 1 30 @ 1 32½
Barley, Bay Brewing (gold)..... 1 30 @ 1 32½
Barley, Coast Brewing (gold)..... 1 25 @ 1 30
Barley, Chevalier, good to choice..... 1 25 @ 1 40

OATS—
Offerings are very liberal; market a shade weaker; demand fair.

Oats, choice milling, ₩ ctl..... $2 25 @ 2 30
Oats, choice feed..... 2 15 @ 2 20
Oats, good feed..... 2 00 @ 2 10
Oats, common to fair..... 1 90 @ 2 00

CORN—
Market firm.
Corn, large white and yellow (silver)..$1 45 @$1 50
Corn, small yellow (gold)..... — @ —

RYE—
Rye (gold)..... $1 80 @$1 85

WOOL—
The demand for fall Wools continues to be very light, particularly for the lower grades. Prices obtained are very irregular. Quite extensive preparations are being made to ship these inferior Wools to eastern markets, via Cape Horn, at the low rate of $6 ₩ ton freight. Shippers anticipate a better demand on their arrival in Eastern markets, say four months hence, or about the middle of July. The probabilities are that our market will be considerably relieved of these common and inferior lots. Respecting the spring clip there are no reliable prices to be quoted as yet. The few parcels arriving from the Southern counties are very much out of condition. Sales effected so far have mostly been within the range of 10@15c; a few lots sold a trifle higher to go East as a trier. The opinio that the clip will be short of last year, seems to be quite current, and gaining ground.

Fall, heavy, as to quality..... 8 @11
Fall, good to choice..... 10 @12½
Fall Northern..... — @ —

DAIRY PRODUCE—
The deliveries of Butter continue liberal; prices steady. Dealers here are packing quite extensively; no further decline is looked for. Eggs have ruled dull, and declining; closing weak at quotations below given.

Butter, Cal., strictly prime roll, ₩ lb..... 24 @25
Butter, Cal., good to prime roll..... 22½@23½
Butter, Cal., common to fair fresh roll..... 20 @22
Butter, Cal., choice firkin (new)..... 25 @27½
Butter, Cal., fair, good firkin..... 20 @25
Butter, Cal., choice pickled roll..... 23½@25
Butter, Cal., pickled roll..... 20 @22½
Cheese, Cal..... 10 @14
Cheese, Eastern, N. Y. State..... 19 @20
Cheese, Western, fair to good..... 10 @14
Eggs, Cal., ₩ doz..... 31 @33
Eggs, Salt Lake..... — @ —
Eggs, Eastern..... — @ —

POTATOES AND ONIONS—
There is no abatement in the receipts of Potatoes; market heavy. Extra choice sell up to 75c, under sharp competition. Onions abundant; demand moderate.

Sweets..... $ 75 @$1 00
Potatoes, fair to choice..... 50 @ 75
Onions..... 75 @ 1 00

BEANS—
Market quiet at prices a trifle lower.

Red..... $2 75 @ $3 00
Pink..... 2 75 @ 3 87½
Small white..... 1 75 @ 2 00
Pea..... 2 00 @ 2 25
Butter, large..... 2 00 @ 2 25
Butter, medium..... 1 50 @ 1 60
Bayos..... 2 75 @ 3 00
Limas..... 2 50 @ 2 75

FRUITS—
Choice Apples and Pears are scarce. Oranges plenty; prices steady. Strawberries are arriving daily, and cheaper, quotable at 40c ₩ lb at this writing.

Pears, fair to good..... $1 00 @$2 50
Apples..... 50@ 1 50
Dried Apples, quartered, ₩ lb..... 5@ 6
" Sliced..... 6@ 7
" Apricots..... —@ —
" Peaches, fair to choice..... 9@ 10
" Pears..... 8@ 10
" Plums, pitted..... 12@ 14
" Plums, unpitted..... 4@ 8
" Blackberries..... 15@ 17

ORANGES, LEMONS, Etc.—
Jobbing Prices.

Oranges, Cal..... $1 00 @$3 00
Lemons, Sicily, ₩ box..... 10 00 @ 11 00
Lemons, Cal..... 10 00 @ 20 00
Limes, Cal., ₩ 1000..... 7 50 @ 10 00
Limes, Mexican..... 12 00 @ 15 00
Bananas, ₩ bunch..... 2 00 @ 3 50

NUTS—
Jobbing Prices.

Cal. Almonds, hard..... $ 7 @ 8
Cal. Almonds, soft..... 17 @ 19
Cal. Peanuts..... 4 @ 6
Cocoanuts, ₩ 100..... 5 00 @ 6 00
Pecan..... — @ 15
Brazil..... 14 @ 15
Filberts..... — @ 16
Chile Walnuts..... 10 @ 11

HOPS—
There is no tendency apparent toward a gain of tone Our stocks have run too full all the season, and can only be worked off by liberal concessions, unless an unlocked-for demand should spring up. We quote 10@ 18c, as to quality.

PROVISIONS—
Eastern Hams are arriving freely, and rather in excess of requirements in present condition of trade, which is dull even for the season.

Hams, Eastern, ₩ lb..... $ 15 @$ 16
Hams, California..... 12½@ 13
Bacon, Eastern..... 13½@ 14½
Bacon, California..... 10½@ 15
Lard, Eastern..... 13 @ 14½
Lard, California..... 11 @ 13½
Pork, ₩ bbl, as to quality..... 22 50 @ 25 00
Pork, ½ bbl..... 12 50 @ 13 50
Beef, smoked, ₩ lb..... 9 @ 9½
Beef, ₩ bbl, as to quality..... 9 00 @ 12 00
Beef, ½ bbl..... 7 00 @ 8 00
Salmon, 1-lb tins, (scarce)..... 2 00 @ 2 10
Salmon, 2-lb tins, (scarce)..... — @ 2 80
Salmon, 2½-lb tins..... — @ —
Salmon, Col. river, bbl..... 10 00 @ 11 00
Salmon, Col. river, ½ bbl..... — @ 6 25
Salmon, Rogue river, bbl..... 9 00 @ 10 00
Salmon, Rogue river, ½ bbl..... — @ 5 00
Salmon, Eel river, bbl..... — @ 8 50
Salmon, Eel river, ½ bbl..... 4 00 @ 4 50
Salmon, Sac. river, bbl..... — @ 8 00
Salmon, Sac. river, ½ bbl..... — @ 4 00
Salmon, smoked, ₩ lb..... 6 @ 7
Cod, in bundles..... 5½@ 6
Cod, Eastern, boneless, in cases..... — @ 10
Mackerel, ½ bbl, No. 1..... 11 00 @ 12 50
Mackerel, ½ bbl, No. 2..... 9 50 @ 10 50
Mackerel, ½ bbl, No. 3..... 9 00 @ 10 00
Mackerel, Kits, Nos. 1 and 2..... 2 00 @ 2 25

LIVE STOCK AND MEATS—
Beef, 1st quality, dressed, net..... 6 @ 7
Beef, 2d quality, dressed, net..... 5 @ 6
Beef, 3d quality, dressed, net..... 3½@ 4
Mutton, 1st quality, dressed, net..... 6 @ 7
Hogs, 1st and 2d quality, gross..... 6½@ 7
Hogs, dressed..... 8¾@ 9
Veal..... 6 @ 7
Lamb..... 7 @10

BAGS AND BAGGING—
Barley Bags, 22x40..... — @11
Barley Bags, 24x40..... — @13
Barley Bags, 28x38..... — @15
Machine-sewed, 22x36..... — @ 9¾
Hand-sewed, 22x36..... 9¾@10
Flour Sacks, halves..... 9 @11
Flour Sacks, quarters..... 6 @ 7
Standard Gunnies..... 11 @12
Wool Sacks, 4 lbs..... — @3½
Wool Sacks, 3½ lbs..... — @17½
Burlaps, 45 in..... 9¾@10
Burlaps, 40 in..... 8¾@ 9
Burlaps, 60 in..... 11¾@12½

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW—
Hides quiet at unchanged prices. Tallow, 5½@6¼c.

Dry, over 16 lbs..... 16 @16½
Dry, under 16 lbs..... 10 @13
Wet Salted..... 7 @ 7½
Plump Heavy Steer..... 9 @ 9½
Sheepskins, Longwool ₩ skin..... 55 @65
Sheepskins, Medium, ₩ skin..... 40 @60
Sheepskins, short, ₩ skin..... 20 @40
Sheepskins, shearlings, ₩ skin..... 10 @15
Lamb Skins..... 15 @25
Deer Skins, ₩ lb..... 15 @30
Mexican dry Hides are 1 cent cheaper than the above quotations.

HAY AND STRAW—
Wheat, prime, ₩ ton..... $15 00@$17 00
Oat, prime, ₩ ton..... 13 00@ 15 00
Common to fair, above kinds..... 10 00@ 12 00
Straw, ₩ bale..... — @ 75
Alfalfa..... — @ —

HONEY—
Comb, choice white, ₩ lb..... 12 @13
Comb, fair to good white..... 10 @11½
Comb, dark..... 8 @ 9
Strained, choice..... 7 @ 8
Strained, fair to good..... 5 @ 7

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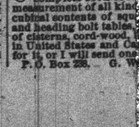

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